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(SBU) Econcouns and Japanese Econcouns Kazuhito Nakamura jointly delivered reftel demarche on the U.S. WTO remanufacturing initiative to Carlos Moreno, Director of Trade Policy at the Ministry of Economy, on October 29. Moreno replied that the GOES appreciated the offer from the US, Japan, and Switzerland to become a co-sponsor of the initiative. Before the GOES could take a final position, however, he needed to consult with counterparts at the Ministry of Finance and Ministry of Environment, as well as key private sector stakeholders. Moreno promised to convey the GOES's final position as soon as possible to the U.S. and Japanese Embassies in El Salvador and through El Salvador's Mission in Geneva.

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